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Mr. William J. Casey, Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505


Dear Mr. Casey:

The enclosed business plan describes a service business built around a FOLIAGE PENETRATING, HIGH PRECISION, PROFILING RADAR designed to operate at 30,000 feet above mean ground. This means accurate topographic contour maps may be constructed in closed canopy, rugged, tropical rain forest areas. Also, you can acquire the data for constructing these maps when the area is covered with dense cloud cover and either night or day. And, because all data is recorded in a digital format, finished topographic contour maps can be produced within two to three weeks after the field survey activities are complete.

As you are well aware, Mr. Casey, venture capital people usually are not interested in this sort of technology because the equipment has not yet been built and because there is no existing contract for the survey services described above. I feel certain the existence of a survey service as described above would be of interest to the CIA because of the continuing need for good contour maps in areas where maps are either poor or non-existent.

My reason for sending this business plan to you is to inquire about a loan guarantee from the United States Government. Usually, for this sort of equipment, the Government must take the lead, the risk and a lot of expense to get something like this to work. Although I have not completely eliminated the risk, I have taken the lead and have greatly decreased the expense of developing the equipment and the service.

I shall look forward to receiving your response in the near future.

Very truly yours, 

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